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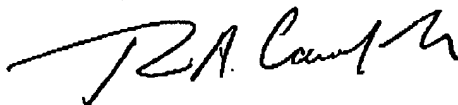
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Amendment/Response Transmittal (w/petition for extension)  
Amendment and Reply Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.111  
PTO Form 1449 w/references  
Declaration Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.132 w/Appendix A  
Katz Declaration by Professor Pepys  
Declaration Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.131

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

**EXTENSION OF TIME**

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant petitions for a 3-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136.

**FEES**

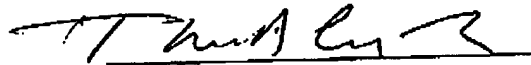
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TOTAL	41	58	= 0 x \$	50.00	= \$ 0.00
INDEP.	7	8	= 0 x \$		= \$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+ \$	360.00	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE					\$
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE					\$ 510.00
GRAND TOTAL					\$ 510.00

**FEE PAYMENT**

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 033975. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

This is in response to the official action dated September 2, 2005, and is timely filed, as it is accompanied by a petition for an extension of time to file in the third month and the requisite fee.

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